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SUBJECT	Shortage of Penicillin	DATE DISTR.	12 August 1954
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1. There is an acute shortage of penicillin in all hospitals in Poland. 25X1
2. Hospital administrations received a secret instruction not to use penicillin for patients over 65 years of age, even if it might save the patient's life.
3. Hospital pharmacies hold reserve stores of penicillin in special cases marked "For the use of M.O.N." (Ministry of National Defense).

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